IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

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INNOVATIONS, LLC,	§
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Plaintiff,	§
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v.	§
AMERICAN HONDA MOTOR CO., INC.	§ 2:15-cv-01877-JRG-RSP
	§ LEAD CASE
AT&T CORP.	§ 2:15-cv-01641-JRG-RSP
BMW OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC	§ 2:15-cv-01874-JRG-RSP
CARRIER CORPORATION	§ 2:15-cv-01674-JRG-RSP
FIAT USA INC ET AL	§ 2:15-cv-01875-JRG-RSP
HYUNDAI MOTOR AMERICA	§ 2:15-cv-01878-JRG-RSP
MAZDA MOTOR OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.	§ 2:15-cv-01879-JRG-RSP
MERCEDEDS-BENZ USA, LLC	§ 2:15-cv-01880-JRG-RSP
NEXIA INTELLIGENCE, LLC	§ 2:15-cv-01574 JRG-RSP
RHEEM MANUFACTURING	§ 2:15-cv-01576-JRG-RSP
SMARTLABS, INC. D/B/A INSTEON	§ 2:15-cv-01573-JRG-RSP
SUBARU OF AMERICA, INC.	§ 2:15-cv-01881-JRG-RSP
T-MOBILE USA, INC	§ 2:15-cv-01642-JRG-RSP
TOYOTA MOTOR CORPORATION ET AL	§ 2:15-cv-01979-JRG-RSP
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.	§ 2:15-cv-01646-JRG-RSP
VOLVO CARS OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC	§ 2:15-cv-01882-JRG-RSP

Defendants.

ORDER

The above-captioned cases are hereby **ORDERED** to be **CONSOLIDATED** for all pretrial issues (except venue) with the LEAD CASE, Cause No. 2:15-cv-1877. All parties are instructed to file any future filings (except relating to venue) in the LEAD CASE. Individual cases remain active for venue determinations and trial. The Court will enter one docket control order, one protective order, and one discovery order that will govern the entire consolidated case.

If a docket control order, protective order, discovery order, and/or appointment of mediator has been entered in the lead case at the time new member cases are added to the

consolidated action, all parties are directed to meet and confer in order to determine whether

amendments to such documents are necessary. Any proposed amendments to the docket control

order, protective order, discovery order, or appointment of a mediator shall be filed within two

weeks of this Order.

The local rules' page limitations for *Markman* briefs and other motions will apply to the

consolidated case. To further promote judicial economy and to conserve the parties' resources,

the Court encourages the parties to file a notice with the Court in the event that there are other

related cases currently pending on the Court's docket that may also be appropriate for

consolidation with this case.

The Clerk is instructed to add the consolidated defendants into the Lead Case and their

corresponding Lead and Local Counsel only. Additional counsel may file a Notice of

Appearance in the Lead Case if they wish to continue as counsel of record in the lead

consolidated action. Counsel who has appeared pro hac vice in any member case may file a

Notice of Appearance in the Lead Case without filing an additional application to appear pro hac

vice in the Lead Case.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 22nd day of January, 2016.

RODNEY GILSTRAP

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE